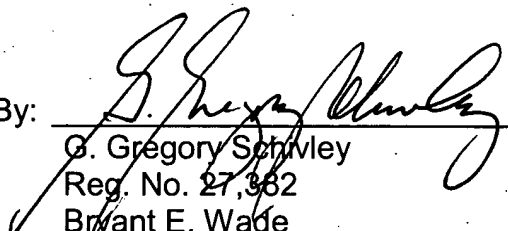


REMARKS

The purpose of this preliminary amendment is to correct two (2) obvious errors. Page 12, line 1 is changed from "Nb₂CO₅" to -- Nb₂O₅--. Page 12, line 6 is changed from "K₂NbO₃" to -- K₂NbO₃F--. The surrounding text clearly supports these changes. Favorable consideration of this amendment is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (248) 641-1600.

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